

In my opinion, Code has served the Ham community for many years successfully, and it is now time to allow it to retire to a well deserved rest. Let those who still enjoy it use it, but retiring it will, without a doubt, bring in a new and larger generation of Hams, eager to be apart of our wonderful hobby, who will carry the mantle into the future when our generation is but a memory. Code will most assuredly be carried forward by a few elite stalwarts and their younger counterparts, and will never be completely out of fashion. As it's use becomes rarer but more focused, knowledge of Code may well become an even greater badge of honor in the Ham community at some point in the future. Our Ham community will look back on our generation and say: This was the right thing to do.